

THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for supporting communication of media, the method comprising:

controlling communication of the media from a television, in a home location, within a media processing system, without consuming the media by said television during said controlling, wherein said media processing system comprises a plurality of media processing devices at a plurality of geographic locations; and

transferring the media from a first media processing device at a first geographic location that is remotely located from the home location to at least a second media processing device at a second geographic location that is also remotely located from the home location according to said controlling communication from said television in the home location.

2. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising generating at least one command from said television causing said transfer of the media.

3. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising receiving at least one command that results in said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to said second geographic location.

4. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 3, comprising receiving at least one request by said television for said controlling communication of the media.

5. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 4, comprising responding to said received request, said response resulting in said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to said second geographic location.

6. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein said first geographic location and said second geographic location correspond to a location of one or more of a media peripheral, a media processing system, a media storage system, a personal computer and a third party media provider.

7. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein said first geographic location and said second geographic location comprise different residence locations.

8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising displaying a user interface on a display of said television for said controlling communication of said transfer of the media.

9. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising scheduling said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to at least said second geographic location utilizing said television without consuming the media during said transfer.

10. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, comprising storing said transferred media in at least one of said first geographic location and said second geographic location.

11. (Currently Amended) A machine-readable storage having stored thereon, a computer program having at least one code section for supporting communication of media, the at least one code section being executable by a machine for causing the machine to perform steps comprising:

controlling communication of the media from a television, in a home location, within a media processing system, without consuming the media by said television during said controlling, wherein said media processing system comprises a plurality of media processing devices at a plurality of geographic locations; and

transferring the media from a first media processing device at a first geographic location that is remotely located from the home location to at least a second media processing device at a second geographic location that is also remotely located from the home location according to said controlling communication from said television in the home location.

12. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, comprising code for generating at least one command from said television causing said transfer of the media.

13. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, comprising code for receiving at least one command that results in said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to said second geographic location.

14. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 13, comprising code for receiving at least one request by said television for said controlling communication of the media.

15. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 14, comprising code for responding to said received request, said response resulting in said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to said second geographic location.

16. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, wherein said first geographic location and said second geographic location correspond to a location of one or more of a media peripheral, a media processing system, a media storage system, a personal computer and a third party media provider.

17. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, wherein said first geographic location and said second geographic location comprise different residence locations.

18. (Previously Presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, comprising code that causes display of a user interface on a display of said television for said controlling communication of said transfer of the media.

19. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, comprising code for scheduling said transfer of the media from said first geographic location to at least said second geographic location utilizing said television without consuming the media during said transfer.

20. (Previously presented) The machine-readable storage according to claim 11, comprising code for storing said transferred media in at least one of said first geographic location and said second geographic location.

21. (Currently Amended) A system for supporting communication of media ~~within a home~~, the system comprising:

a media peripheral at a first geographic location;

a television within a media processing system at a home first geographic location that is remotely located from the first geographic location, said television is utilized to arrange media delivery from a second geographic location that is remotely located from said home location to the media peripheral at said the first geographic location for playback on said media peripheral; and

a communication pathway between the first geographic location and the second geographic location that operates independent of said television through which the media is delivered.

22. (Original) The system according to claim 21, wherein said television generates at least one command that causes said media delivery.

23. (Original) The system according to claim 22, wherein said television responds to said at least one command resulting in said media delivery.

24. (Original) The system according to claim 21, wherein said television displays a user interface that is utilized to control said media delivery.

25. (Original) The system according to claim 24, wherein said user interface provides an indication of said media peripheral.

26. (Original) The system according to claim 25, wherein upon selection of said indication of said media peripheral in said user interface, said media delivery is initiated.

27. (Currently Amended) A system supporting communication of media, the system comprising:

a media peripheral located at a first home; and

a television, within a media processing system, located at a second home that is remotely located from the first home, wherein said television is utilized to arrange delivery of media from a third said-second home that is remotely located from said first and second homes to said media peripheral at said first home.

28. (Currently amended) The system according to claim 27, wherein said television ~~retrieves stored media and~~ transfers said-stored media to at least one of a media peripheral located at a first home and a media peripheral remotely located with respect to said first home.

29. (Original) The system according to claim 27, wherein said television schedules said delivery of media to said media peripheral.

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30. (Original) The system according to claim 27, wherein said television redirects delivery of media to said media peripheral without said television at least one of receiving and consuming the media.